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## **AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.113**

Honorable Sir:

In response to the Final Office action dated February 27, 2007, Applicants submit the following amendment and response. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of the claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.